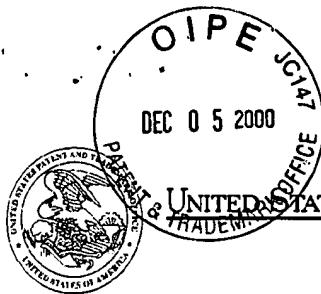


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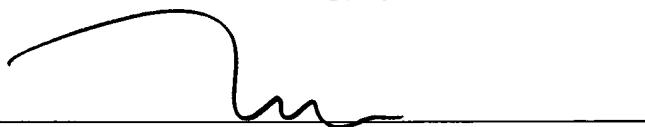
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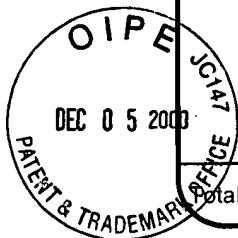
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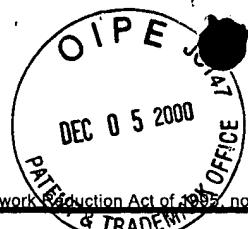
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139	130	139	130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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115	110	215	55 Extension for reply within first month	
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119	310	219	155 Notice of Appeal	
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138	1,510	138	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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